

## Message Text

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INFO AMEMBASSY CAIRO PRIORITY  
AMEMBASSY AMMAN  
AMEMBASSY BAGHDAD

C O N F I D E N T I A L MOSCOW 2998

E.O. 11652: GDS  
TAGS: MILI EG UR  
SUBJECT: CONFIRMATION OF SOVIET INTENT TO RETURN MIG-21  
ENGINES TO EGYPT

REF: CAIRO 3641 (NOTAL)

DURING MARCH 4 M.E. TOUR D'HORIZON WITH POL COUNSELOR, YE. D.  
PYRLIN, DEPUTY DIRECTOR , MFA NE COUNTRIES DEPT, SAID IT  
WAS TRUE THAT SOVIETS HAD AGREED TO RETURN 50 REBUILT  
MIG-21 ENGINES TO EGYPT AS SADAT CLAIMED IN HIS FEB 28  
PRESS CONFERENCE (REFTEL). HE DID NOT ELABORATE ON THIS  
SPECIFIC THEME.  
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## Message Attributes

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